## TREASURY DEPARTMENT



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## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

LYNDON B. JOHNSON PRESIDENTIAL MEDAL NOW ON SALE AT THE MINT

The Lyndon B. Johnson Medal has been added to the Presidential Series of medals available for purchase from the Bureau of the Mint, Miss Eva Adams, Director of the Mint announced today.

The Johnson Presidential Medal may be obtained from the Superintendent, United States Mint, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, 19130. The cost is \$3.00 including postage. The medal is of Mint bronze, and is three inches in diameter.

The front or obverse of the medal contains a likeness of the President modeled by Gilroy Roberts, Chief Sculptor of the Mint. Around the border is the inscription Lyndon B. Johnson.

The back or reverse has an adaptation of the Seal of the President of the United States in the center. Above, around the border, are the words, President of the United States. Beneath the eagle in the seal is November 22, 1963, the date upon which President Johnson took office. Below and around the border is an inscription from the President's address before the Joint Session of Congress on November 27, 1963: We will serve all the Nation, - a united people with a united purpose. - Lyndon B. Johnson. The reverse of the medal is the work of Frank Gasparro, Assistant Chief Sculptor of the Mint.

The Presidential Medal Series includes medals for all former Presidents of the United States. Individual medals or the entire series may be purchased from the Philadelphia Mint.